Docket No.

246324US-3

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kazuhiro TANAKA

SERIAL NO: 10/726,538

FILED:

December 4, 2003

FOR:

ELEVATOR WITH DUCT FOR TAIL

**COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS** ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☐ Additional documents filed herewith:

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE			CALCULATIONS	
TOTAL	34	MINUS	38	0	х	\$50	=	\$0.00	
INDEPENDENT	4	MINUS	4	0	х	\$200	=	\$0.00	
APPLICATION SIZE		MINUS	100	0 (each addtl. 50 sheets)	x	\$250	=	\$0.00	
	7	☐ MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				\$360	=	\$0.00	
	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS					\$0.00		
	<del>-</del>	☐ Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity					\$0.00		
						тот	AL	\$0.00	

] A	١	check	in	the	amount	of	\$0.00	is	attach	ıed	l,

- ☐ Credit card payment form is attached to cover the fees in the amount of \$0.00
- Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

OBLON, SPIVAK, McCLELLAND. MAIER & NEUSTADT, P.C.

Eckhard H. Kuesters

Registration No. 28,870

Customer Number

Tel. (703) 413-3000 Fax. (703) 413-2220 (OSMMN 05/03)

Surinder Sachar

Registration No. 34,423

JUL 0 5 2006 W

DOCKET NO: 246324US-3

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF

: EXAMINER: PICO, E.

KAZUHIRO TANAKA SERIAL NO: 10/726,538

·

FILED: DECEMBER 4, 2003

: GROUP ART UNIT: 3654

FOR: ELEVATOR WITH DUCT FOR

TAIL CORD

## <u>AMENDMENT</u>

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action of April 4, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 11 of this paper.